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**DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 OF  
MARTIN E. FERMAN AND DONALD J. HARTER**

1. The undersigned Martin E. Fermann is the sole inventor of the above-captioned patent application.
2. The undersigned Martin E. Fermann and Donald J. Harter are the two named inventors of U. S. Patent No. 5,818,630.
3. The inventions defined by Claims 1, 7, 13, 14, 16-18, 22, 23, 25, 30-32, 35-38, 46, and 50 of the above-captioned patent application are the sole invention of Martin E. Fermann.
4. To the extent that the inventions defined by Claims 1, 7, 13, 14, 16-18, 22, 23, 25, 30-32, 35-38, 46, and 50 of the above-captioned patent application are disclosed in U. S. Patent 5,818,630, the inventions were derived from Martin E. Fermann.
5. We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like

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so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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